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Department of Computer Science & Engineering

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Vision of the Institute

To be a nationally recognized institution of excellence in technical education and produce competent professionals capable of making a valuable contribution to society.

Mission of the Institute

- To promote academic growth by offering state-ofthe-art undergraduate and postgraduate programs.
- ◆ To undertake collaborative projects which offer opportunities for interaction with academia and industry.
- To develop intellectually capable human potential who are creative, ethical and gifted leaders

Vision of the Department

To be a center of academic excellence in the field of computer science and engineering education.

Mission of the Department

- ◆ Strive for academic excellence in computer science ◆ and engineering through well designed course curriculum, effective classroom pedagogy and in-depth knowledge of Laboratory work
- Transform under graduate engineering students into technically competent, socially responsible and ethical computer science and engineering professionals.
- ◆ Create computing centres of excellence in leading ◆ areas of computer science and engineering to provide exposure to the students on latest software tools and computing technologies.
 - Incubate, apply and spread innovative ideas by collaborating with relevant industries and R&D labs through focused research group.
- Attain these through continuous team work by group of committed faculty, transforming the computer science and engineering department as a leader in imparting computer science and engineering education and research.

(Web 3.0 and the Decentralized Internet)

Web 3.0, also called the Semantic Web or Decentralized Web, is the third generation of internet services that focuses on:

- Decentralization
- •User ownership
- •Intelligent systems
- Interoperability
- •Privacy & transparency

Unlike Web 1.0 (static web pages) and Web 2.0 (interactive, user-generated content hosted on centralized platforms), Web 3.0 allows users to control their data and participate in peer-to-peer networks without central authorities.

Web 3.0, often called the decentralized web, represents the next major evolution of the internet. Unlike Web 1.0, which consisted of simple, static web pages that users could only read, and Web 2.0, which introduced interactive, user-generated content but relied heavily on centralized platforms like Google, Facebook, or YouTube, Web 3.0 gives control back to the users. It is built on technologies such as blockchain, smart contracts, and decentralized networks, enabling direct peer-to-peer interactions without intermediaries.



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Core Concepts of Web 3.0

1. Decentralization

- •No single point of control.
- •Data is stored across blockchain or distributed networks.
- •Users own their identity and data using cryptographic keys.

2. Semantic Web

- •Machines understand **context and meaning** of data (not just keywords).
- •Enables intelligent search, automation, and personalized services.

3. Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning

- •AI helps in data filtering, recommendation, and decision-making.
- •Enables smart contracts and autonomous applications (DAOs).

4. Blockchain Technology

- •Backbone of Web 3.0.
- •Ensures immutability, security, and transparency.
- •Supports decentralized finance (DeFi), NFTs, and token-based economies.

5. Token Economy

- •Users are incentivized with **cryptographic tokens** for contributing or using services.
- •Examples: ETH (Ethereum), DOT (Polkadot), SOL (Solana)

Key Characteristics

- •Interoperability: Apps and data can work across platforms without restrictions.
- •Trustless Environment: Users interact directly without intermediaries.
- •Permissionless Access: No need for approval to join or use platforms.
- •User Sovereignty: Control over identity, data, and assets.





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Use Cases

1. Finance (DeFi)

- •Peer-to-peer lending, trading, and payments without banks.
- •E.g., Uniswap, Aave

2. Digital Identity

- •Self-sovereign ID systems.
- •No reliance on Google or Facebook for logins.

3. NFTs and Digital Ownership

- •Ownership of digital art, music, land, etc.
- •Traded transparently on blockchain.

4. Decentralized Social Media

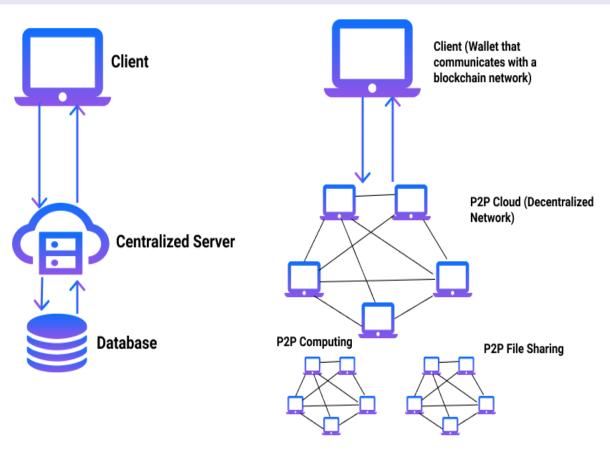
•Platforms like Lens Protocol and Mastodon that do not harvest or sell user data.

5. Decentralized Storage

•Platforms like Filecoin, Arweave store files across multiple locations securely.

Evolution of the Web:

- Web 1.0 (1990s): Only read websites. Like online books or newspapers.
- •Web 2.0 (2000s-now): You can read, write, and share. Social media, YouTube, Instagram. But big companies (like Google, Meta) control your data.
- Web 3.0: You read, write, and own your data. It's decentralized—no single company controls it



Web 2.0 Web 3.0



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Problems (Still Being Fixed):

- •Web 3.0 is **new**, so:
- •It's sometimes slow.
- •It can be **confusing** for non-technical users.
- •There are **scams** and risky apps too.

Benefits:

- More security
- More privacy
- •Less censorship
- •Earn from your own data and content
- Fairer internet (not controlled by tech giants)

Future of Web 3.0

- •Metaverse integration Web 3.0 provides ownership for virtual goods.
- •AI agents Intelligent bots that act on behalf of users.
- •Interconnected decentralized apps (dApps) Creating a web without walled gardens (like Google or Facebook).
- Cross-chain interoperability Seamless data and asset movement across blockchains.

Conclusion

Web 3.0 represents a paradigm shift in the architecture and functioning of the internet, moving away from centralized, platform-driven ecosystems toward a **user-centric**, **transparent**, **and decentralized digital landscape**. Powered by cutting-edge technologies such as **artificial intelligence**, **blockchain**, **and peer-to-peer networks**, Web 3.0 aims to fundamentally redefine the dynamics of data ownership, content creation, and value exchange on the internet.

Unlike Web 2.0, which relies heavily on centralized intermediaries to control data, manage platforms, and monetize user activity, Web 3.0 envisions an ecosystem where users have direct ownership of their digital identities, assets, and interactions. Through decentralized ledger technologies, users can engage in trustless transactions, verify information authenticity, and participate in governance without reliance on a central authority. AI integration further enhances the Web 3.0 experience by enabling context-aware personalization, intelligent content curation, semantic understanding, and predictive analytics, making the internet more intuitive, adaptive, and responsive to individual needs.

